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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD**SUBJECT:** [REDACTED]

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Toward the latter part of October 1947 [REDACTED] protested the accomplishment of certain work assigned her by the Chief of the Special Reports Division. As a result, [REDACTED] and [REDACTED] came to my office to settle the matter. It developed that [REDACTED] believed that [REDACTED] who is a CAF-6, had been assigned more important work than had [REDACTED], a P-3, and [REDACTED] was insisting that she be assigned more important work.

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I investigated the facts and decided that [REDACTED] charges were not true, and further that this whole situation had developed as a result of a personality conflict involving [REDACTED] on the one side and [REDACTED] on the other. I interviewed all members of the Special Reports Division and determined that [REDACTED] was in the wrong. After consultation with [REDACTED], she expressed the opinion that she could no longer work in that Division. This was also the opinion of the other members of the Special Reports Division, although they were perfectly willing to try.

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I informed [REDACTED] that it would be necessary to transfer her to the Editorial Division at CAF-7. She stated that she could not accept a reduction to CAF-7 and that she would seek employment elsewhere. I agreed to give her a reasonable length of time to find employment elsewhere and to permit her to remain at CAF-9 for the time being.

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On or about 13 January 1948 I again interviewed [REDACTED] and told her that I considered that sufficient time had elapsed for her to find other employment, and that furthermore her work in the Editorial Division had been far below that expected of a CAF-9 and, as a matter of fact, her supervisors considered her a beginner as an editor. I further advised [REDACTED] that I must take action in the very near future to readjust her grade in accordance with her ability. It was agreed that [REDACTED] would attempt to find employment outside of FBIB and that if such employment were not found by 9 February 1948, immediate action would be taken to reduce her to a CAF-7. [REDACTED] agreed that this was fair and thanked me for permitting her to remain in her present grade for this length of time.

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